

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as follows.

For the Examiner's convenience, a list of all claims is included below.

1. (Currently Amended) A method for execution by a microprocessor in response to receiving a single instruction, the method comprising:

receiving the single instruction that includes a first index of a first vector in a first entry in a register file and a second index of a second vector in a second entry in the register file;

receiving ~~a~~the first vector having a first plurality of numbers and ~~a~~the second vector having a second plurality of numbers, each of the first plurality of numbers pointing to one of a plurality of entries, each of the plurality of entries being in one of a plurality of look-up tables; and

replacing simultaneously the plurality of entries in the plurality of look-up tables that are indicated by the first plurality of numbers from the first entry in the register file, with the second plurality of numbers from the second entry in the register file;

wherein the receiving and the replacing operations are performed in response to the microprocessor receiving the single instruction;

wherein the microprocessor comprises a media processor integrated with a memory controller for host memory on a single integrated circuit.

2. (Canceled).

3. (Currently Amended) A method as in claim 2-1 wherein the single instruction specifies indices of the first and second entries in the register file.
4. (Currently Amended) A method for execution by a microprocessor in response to receiving a single instruction, the method comprising:

receiving the single instruction having an identity number code that specifies a DMA controller and an index of a first entry in a register file, ~~that wherein the first entry in the register file contains control parameters, wherein the control parameters~~ that include a bit segment which specifies a count indicating a number of entries to be loaded in each of a plurality of look-up units;

receiving the control parameters from the register file; and

replacing at least one entry in at least one of the plurality of look-up units in a microprocessor unit according to the control parameters with at least one number using the Direct Memory Access (DMA) controller;

wherein the replacing is performed in response to the microprocessor receiving the single instruction.
5. (Currently Amended) A method for execution by a microprocessor in response to receiving a single instruction, the method comprising:

receiving the single instruction having an identity number code that specifies a DMA controller and an index of a first entry in a register file, ~~wherein the first entry in the register file that contains control parameters, wherein the~~

control parameters include a bit segment which specifies a count indicating a number of entries to be loaded in each of a plurality of look-up units; and receiving the control parameters from the register file; replacing at least one entry for each of a plurality of look-up units in a microprocessor according to the control parameters, with a plurality of numbers using the Direct Memory Access (DMA) controller; wherein the replacing is performed in response to the microprocessor receiving the single instruction.

6. (Original) A method as in claim 5 wherein a single index encoded in the instruction specifies a location of the at least one entry in the plurality of look-up units.
7. (Original) A method as in claim 5 wherein a single index encoded in the instruction specifies a total number of the at least one entry for each of a plurality of look-up units.
8. (Previously Presented) A method as in claim 5 wherein a source address of the plurality of numbers in host memory is specified in an entry of a register file.
9. (Original) A method as in claim 8 wherein the single instruction specifies an index of the entry in the register file.

10. (Canceled)
11. (Currently Amended) A method for execution by a microprocessor in response to receiving a single instruction, the method comprising:
- receiving the single instruction that includes a first index of a first vector in a first entry in a register file and a second index of a second vector in a second entry in the register file;
- receiving ~~a~~the first vector having a plurality of numbers from the register file;
- partitioning a look-up memory into a first plurality of look-up tables, wherein the look-up memory comprises a second plurality of look-up units, and wherein the partitioning of the look-up memory comprises configuring the second plurality of look-up units into the first plurality of look-up tables according ~~to~~a configuration indicator specified by the single instruction;
- looking up simultaneously a plurality of elements of ~~a~~the second vector from the first plurality of look-up tables, each of the plurality of elements being in one of the first plurality of look-up tables and being pointed to by one of the plurality of numbers;
- wherein the partitioning and the looking-up operations are performed in response to the microprocessor receiving the single instruction ~~wherein the look-up memory comprises a plurality of look-up units, and wherein said partitioning look-up memory comprises:~~
- ~~configuring the plurality of look-up units into the plurality of look-up tables.~~

12. (Previously Presented) A method as in claim 11 wherein the receiving the first vector having a plurality of numbers comprises:
partitioning a string of bits into a plurality of segments to generate the plurality of numbers.
13. (Original) A method as in claim 12 wherein the single instruction specifies format information in which the plurality of numbers are stored in the string of bits.
14. (Canceled).
15. (Previously Presented) A method as in claim 12 wherein the string of bits is received from an entry of a register file.
16. (Original) A method as in claim 15 wherein the single instruction specifies an index of the entry.
17. (Previously Presented) A method as in claim 11 further comprising:
storing the second vector having the plurality of elements in an entry of a register file.
18. (Original) A method as in claim 17 wherein the single instruction specifies an index of the entry.

19. (Original) A method as in claim 17 wherein the single instruction specifies format information in which the plurality of elements are stored in the entry.
20. (Previously Presented) A method as in claim 11, wherein the look-up memory comprises a plurality of look-up units, and wherein said partitioning look-up memory comprises:
configuring the plurality of look-up units into the plurality of look-up tables;
wherein each of the plurality of look-up units comprises 256 8-bit entries.
21. (Original) A method as in claim 11 wherein the single instruction specifies a total number of entries contained in each of the plurality of look-up tables.
22. (Original) A method as in claim 21 wherein the total number of entries is one of:
 - a) 256;
 - b) 512; and
 - c) 1024.
23. (Original) A method as in claim 11 wherein the single instruction specifies a total number of bits used by each entry contained in the plurality of look-up tables.
24. (Original) A method as in claim 21 wherein the total number of bits is one of:
 - a) 8;
 - b) 16; and

- c) 24.
25. (Currently Amended) A machine readable media containing an executable computer program instruction which when executed by a digital processing system causes said system to perform a method comprising:
~~receiving a single instruction that includes a first index of a first vector in a first entry in a register file and a second index of a second vector in a second entry in the register file;~~
receiving ~~a~~ the first vector having a first plurality of numbers and a second vector having a second plurality of numbers, each of the first plurality of numbers pointing to one of a plurality of entries, each of the plurality of entries being in one of a plurality of look-up tables; and
replacing simultaneously the plurality of entries in the plurality of look-up tables that are indicated by the first plurality of numbers ~~from the first entry in the register file with the second plurality of numbers from the second entry in the register file;~~
wherein the receiving and the replacing operations are performed in response to the microprocessor receiving the single instruction;
wherein the microprocessor comprises a media processor integrated with a memory controller for host memory on a single integrated circuit.
26. (Canceled).

27. (Original) A media as in claim 26 wherein the single instruction specifies indices of the first and second entries in the register file.
28. (Currently Amended) A machine readable media containing an executable computer program instruction which when executed by a digital processing system causes said system to perform a method comprising:
receiving the single instruction having an identity number code that specifies a DMA controller and an index of a first entry in a register file, ~~wherein the first entry in the register file that contains control parameters, wherein the control parameters that~~ include a bit segment which specifies a count indicating a number of entries to be loaded in each of a plurality of look-up units;
receiving the control parameters from the register file; and
replacing at least one entry in at least one of a plurality of look-up units in a microprocessor unit according to the control parameters with at least one number using a Direct Memory Access (DMA) controller;
wherein the replacing is performed in response to the microprocessor receiving the single instruction.
29. (Currently Amended) A machine readable media containing an executable computer program instruction which when executed by a digital processing system causes said system to perform a method comprising:
receiving the single instruction having an identity number code that specifies a DMA controller and an index of a first entry in a register file, ~~wherein the first~~

entry in the register file~~that~~ contains control parameters, wherein the control parameters include a bit segment which specifies a count indicating a number of entries to be loaded in each of a plurality of look-up units;
receiving the control parameters from the register file;
and
replacing at least one entry for each of a plurality of look-up units in a microprocessor according to the control parameters, with a plurality of numbers using a Direct Memory Access (DMA) controller;
wherein the receiving is performed in response to the microprocessor receiving the single instruction.

30. (Original) A media as in claim 29 wherein a single index encoded in the instruction specifies a location of the at least one entry in the plurality of look-up units.
31. (Original) A media as in claim 29 wherein a single index encoded in the instruction specifies a total number of the at least one entry for each of a plurality of look-up units.
32. (Original) A media as in claim 29 wherein a source address of the plurality of numbers is specified in an entry of a register file.

33. (Original) A media as in claim 32 wherein the single instruction specifies an index of the entry in the register file.
34. (Canceled)
35. (Currently Amended) A machine readable media containing an executable computer program instruction which when executed by a digital processing system causes said system to perform a method comprising:
- receiving a single instruction that includes a first index of a first vector in a first entry in a register file and a second index of a second vector in a second entry in the register file;
- receiving ~~a~~the first vector having a plurality of numbers from the register file;
- partitioning a look-up memory into a first plurality of look-up tables, wherein the look-up memory comprises a second plurality of look-up units, and wherein the partitioning of the look-up memory comprises configuring the second plurality of look-up units into the first plurality of look-up tables according ~~to~~ a configuration indicator specified by the single instruction;
- looking up simultaneously a plurality of elements of ~~a~~the second vector from the first plurality of look-up tables, each of the plurality of elements being in one of the first plurality of look-up tables and being pointed to by one of the plurality of numbers;
- wherein the partitioning and the looking-up operations are performed in response to the microprocessor receiving the single instruction.

36. (Previously Presented) A media as in claim 35 wherein said receiving the first vector having a plurality of numbers comprises:
partitioning a string of bits into a plurality of segments to generate the plurality of numbers.
37. (Original) A media as in claim 36 wherein the single instruction specifies format information in which the plurality of numbers are stored in the string of bits.
38. (Canceled).
39. (Previously Presented) A media as in claim 36 wherein the string of bits is received from an entry of a register file.
40. (Original) A media as in claim 39 wherein the single instruction specifies an index of the entry.
41. (Previously Presented) A media as in claim 35 wherein the method further comprises:
storing the second vector having the plurality of elements in an entry of a register file.

42. (Original) A media as in claim 41 wherein the single instruction specifies an index of the entry.
43. (Original) A media as in claim 41 wherein the single instruction specifies format information in which the plurality of elements are stored in the entry.
44. (Original) A media as in claim 38 wherein each of the plurality of look-up units comprises 256 8-bit entries.
45. (Original) A media as in claim 35 wherein the single instruction specifies a total number of entries contained in each of the plurality of look-up tables.
46. (Original) A media as in claim 45 wherein the total number of entries is one of:
 - a) 256;
 - b) 512; and
 - c) 1024.
47. (Original) A media as in claim 35 wherein the single instruction specifies a total number of bits used by each entry contained in the plurality of look-up tables.
48. (Original) A media as in claim 47 wherein the total number of bits is one of:

- a) 8;
 - b) 16; and
 - c) 24.
49. (Previously Presented) A method as in claim 5 wherein the at least one entry for each of the plurality of look-up units comprises a plurality of entries for each of the plurality of look-up units.
50. (Previously Presented) A method as in claim 11 wherein the microprocessor comprises a media processor integrated with a memory controller for host memory on a single integrated circuit.